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# **News Release**

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## Commissioners to Meet on O'ahu February 28, 2011

Members of the Kaho'olawe Island Reserve Commission (KIRC) will convene their February meeting at 8:30 a.m., Monday, February 28, 2011 at the Kalanimoku Building, Land Board Conference Room, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Honolulu, Hawai'i. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Commissioners will discuss Senate Bill No. 609 SD1, review KIRC's Statutes, Administrative Rules and Enforcement Options. Other items are the Executive Director's Report and the Expenditure Reports for December 2010 and January 2011. The meeting agenda is available for viewing and downloading at <a href="https://www.kahoolawe.hawaii.gov">www.kahoolawe.hawaii.gov</a>.

KIRC Commissioners are Chairperson Craig Neff; Vice Chairperson Amber Nāmaka Whitehead and members William J. Aila, Jr.; Colette Y. Machado; Dr. Davianna Pomaika`i McGregor; Michele McLean; and Ka`iulani Murphy. Michael Nāho`opi`i is the Executive Director.

Meetings of the Kaho`olawe Island Reserve Commission are open to the public. Individuals wishing to provide testimony on agenda items are requested to submit ten (10) copies of their testimony to the Executive Director at 811 Kolu Street, Suite 201, Wailuku, HI 96793, or by fax to (808) 243-5885, at least 48-hours prior to the scheduled meeting. Persons wishing to testify orally may do so at the meeting and be limited as directed by the KIRC Chair.

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The **Kaho`olawe Island Reserve Commission** (KIRC) was established by the Hawai`i State Legislature in 1993 to manage the Kaho`olawe Island Reserve while it is held in trust for a future Native Hawaiian sovereign entity. The KIRC establishes policies and usage of the island and its surrounding waters through comprehensive restoration and monitoring programs. The KIRC Cultural Program integrates a Native Hawaiian cultural perspective into all programs and activities. The organization is managed by a seven-member Commission and a committed staff. For more information, call 808.243.5020 or visit **www.kahoolawe.hawaii.gov**.